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2   What is claimed is:

3   **1.** A mobile phone handset, comprising:

4   a connector configured to connect said mobile phone handset to at least one of a plain

5 ordinary telephone line, a local area network and one or more computing devices.

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7   **2.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 1, further comprising:

8   a network controller configured to allow said mobile phone handset to communicate

9 with said local area network.

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11   **3.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 2, further comprising:

12   a processor control subsection configured to control operations of said mobile phone

13 handset; and

14   a line detector configured to send said processor control subsection a local area

15 network present signal if said connector is connected to said local area network.

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17   **4.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 3, wherein:

18   said processor control subsection is configured to allow a user of said mobile phone

19 handset to access said local area network through a user interface of said mobile phone

20 handset.

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22   **5.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 1, further comprising:

23   a network controller configured to allow said mobile phone handset to communicate

24 with said one or more computing devices, each of said one or more computing devices

25 having a device network controller configured to communicate with said network controller

26 using a network communication protocol.

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28   **6.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 5, further comprising:

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1   a processor control subsection configured to control operations of said mobile phone

2 handset; and

3   a line detector configured to send said processor control subsection a local area

4 network present signal if said connector is connected to said one or more computing devices.

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6   **7.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 6, wherein:

7   said processor control subsection is configured to allow a user of said mobile phone

8 handset to access a wide area network through a user interface of said one or more computing

9 devices if said connector is connected to said one or more computing devices.

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11   **8.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 1, further comprising:

12   a plain ordinary telephone transmitter receiver circuitry configured to send and

13 receive telephone call signals to and from said plain ordinary telephone line.

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15   **9.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 8, further comprising:

16   a processor control subsection configured to control operations of said mobile phone

17 handset; and

18   a line detector configured to send said processor control subsection a plain ordinary

19 telephone line present signal if said connector is connected to said plain ordinary telephone

20 line.

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22   **10.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 9, wherein:

23   said processor control subsection is configured to, upon receiving said plain ordinary

24 telephone line present signal, allow a user of said mobile phone handset to place a call

25 through said plain ordinary telephone line.

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27   **11.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 10, further comprising:

28   a memory having stored therein a telephone number directory; and

1   a user interface having a display screen configured to display one or more records of

2   said telephone number directory;

3   wherein said processor control subsection configured to allow said user of said mobile

4   phone handset to dial a called party corresponding to said displayed one or more record

5   without manually entering a telephone number of said called party.

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7   **12.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 9, wherein:

8   said processor control subsection is configured to allow a user of said mobile phone

9   handset to receive a call through said plain ordinary telephone line, and to display a caller

10   identification information said user.

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13   **13.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 1, further comprising:

14   a modem configured to communicate with said one or more computing device

15   through said plain ordinary telephone line; and

16   a line detector configured to send said processor control subsection a plain ordinary

17   telephone line present signal if said connector is connected to said one or more computing

18   device.

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20   **14.** The mobile phone handset according to claim 13, wherein:

21   said processor control subsection is configured to allow a user of said mobile phone

22   handset to access a wide area network through a user interface of said one or more computing

23   devices if said connector is connected to said one or more computing devices.

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25   **15.** A method of mobile communication, comprising:

26   providing a mobile phone handset having a connector configured to connect said

27   mobile phone handset to at least one of a plain ordinary telephone line, a local area network

28   and one or more computing devices; and

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1   allowing a user to operate said mobile phone handset utilizing at least one of

2   connected ones of said at least one of a plain ordinary telephone line, a local area network

3   and one or more computing devices.

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5   **16.** The method of mobile communication in accordance with claim 15, further

6   comprising:

7   detecting whether said connector is connected to said local area network; and

8   allowing said user to access said local area network through a user interface of said

9   mobile phone handset if said connector is connected to said local area network.

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11   **17.** The method of mobile communication in accordance with claim 16, further

12   comprising:

13   detecting whether said connector is connected to said one or more computing devices;

14   and

15   allowing said user to access a wide area network through a user interface of said one

16   or more computing devices if said connector is connected to said one or more computing

17   devices.

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19   **18.** The method of mobile communication in accordance with claim 17, further

20   comprising:

21   detecting whether said connector is connected to said plain ordinary telephone line;

22   and

23   allowing said user to place a call through said plain ordinary telephone line if said

24   connector is connected to said plain ordinary telephone line.

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26   **19.** The method of mobile communication in accordance with claim 18, further

27   comprising:

28   providing a memory configured to store a telephone number directory;

1   providing a user interface having a display screen configured to display one or more

2 records of said telephone number directory; and

3   allowing said user to dial a called party corresponding to said displayed one or more

4 record without manually entering a telephone number of said called party.

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6   **20.** The method of mobile communication in accordance with claim 17, further

7 comprising:

8   allowing said user to receive a call through said plain ordinary telephone line; and

9   displaying a caller identification information to said user.

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